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Re: M/V HONOR
19-cv-00923 (AT/OTW) – S.D.N.Y.

Dear Judge Wang,

We represent vessel interests in the captioned litigation and write on behalf of all parties to request an adjournment of the settlement conference currently scheduled for November 20, 2019.

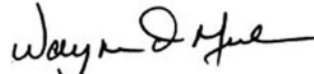
Since the conference which was conducted on October 16, 2019, the parties have continued discussions regarding a possible resolution of the claims involved. As the Court can appreciate, the issues are complicated in that a resolution involves determination regarding amounts which might be due to the parties which suffered damage as a result of the fire, and at the same time, necessarily involves a determination regarding which parties will contribute to those losses, and if so, at what levels.

As explained at the last conference, the parties have exchanged documents; however, it has become apparent that we will not be able to resolve the issues or in fact make any meaningful settlement progress until certain additional discovery is carried out. All parties remain very interested in resolving this case without the need for specific court intervention.

Under the circumstances, we request an adjournment of the settlement conference scheduled for Wednesday, November 20. We propose that the parties collectively write to the Court on December 20 providing a status report, and our views regarding when a follow up settlement conference might be appropriate.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,
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Application Granted.

The settlement conference scheduled for November 20, 2019 is adjourned. Parties to submit a joint status letter by **December 20, 2019.**

SO ORDERED.



Ona T. Wang
U.S. Magistrate Judge

11/19/2019